Corn Values Go Tumbling Downward Under a General Anxiety to Sell-Oats Weak in Sympathy-Hog Products Also Lower.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

Another Good Bank Statement and Its Effeet on the Market-Money Growing Plenty. NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Money on call was easy, ranging from 4 to 5 per cent., the last loan being made at 4 per cent., closing offered at 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 7@9 per cent. Sterling exchange quiet and steady at \$4.79 for sixty-day bills and \$4.83 for demand.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 60.363 shares, including the following: Atchson, 6.585; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 4,815; Lake Shore, 3,435; Louisville & Nashville, 3,200; Northern Pacific, 1,860; St. Paul. 7,338; Union Pacific, 6,560,

The situation, both in Wall street and in the mercantile community, is improving. In Wall street the crisis has long been passed and affairs have settled down to an every-day condition. To-day another excellent bank statement with an increase of over \$3,000,000 in the surplus reserve shows that money is again accumulating in New York, and, after the January disbursements have been made, money is likely to loan at very low rates. The statement also showed a large gain in gold, which is a very encouraging sign. The market, of course, still retained its holiday character, but there was a most marked disposition by the "short" sellers of the earlier portion of the week to discount a good bank statement by covering their "shorts," which of lasted from the opening to the close.

The first sales were made at small fractional gains over last evening's figures, and while the narrowness and duliness were most pronounced, the active stocks, including St. Paul, Atchison, Union Pacific, Lake Shore, Lackawanna and Sugar, all showed fractions, Sugar the "long" account some good news to blie in the near future, and it scored a handsome gain. Union Pacific was the most sluggish and failed to make any material advance. The dividend on the preferred stock helped Tennessee Coal up toward the close, and that stock also scored a material improvement. The rest of the list, however, were almost entirely devoid list, however, were almost entirely devoid of feature, and the market finally closed dult but firm at about the best prices of the day. The final changes are all in the direction of higher figures. Sugar shows a gain of 23g and Tennessee Coal 1 per cent.

Railroad bonds were comparatively active, the sales of all issues reaching \$531,000 for the two hours, and out of that amount the Atchison incomes furnished \$97,000. The tone of the dealings was strong, however, and most of the final changes are advances.

Government bonds were dull and steady. State bonds were entirely neglected. Clos-ing quotations were:

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Four per ct. reg 12119	Lake Shore 10858
Four perct. coup 12219	Lead Trust 1778
Four and les reg. 1034	Louisv'e & Nashv'e 72
Four and les coup . 10314	Louisv'e&NAlb'ny 20
Pacific 6s of '95 109	Missouri Pacific 597a
Adama Evapese 143	N. J. Central 9912
Alton & T. H. 943	Northwestern10318
Alton & T. H. pref. 110	Northwest'n prof 124
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C., C., C. & St. L	O. & Mississippi 19
Chee. & Ohio 1614	O. & M. pref 85
C. & O. pref. 1sts 404	Peoria, D. & E 144
C. & O. pref. 2ds. 264	Pullman Palace180
Chi. & Eastern III. 36	U. S. Express 67
C., B. & Q 87%	W., St. L. & P 819
Del., Lack. & Wes., 12912	W., St. L. & P.pref 1619
Fort Wayne148	Wells-Fargo Exp 135
Lake Erie & West. 12%	Western Union 7412
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The banks now hold \$7,725,125 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule. NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Bar silver, \$1.02 per

LONDON, Dec. 27.-Bar silver, 4712d per

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

Intense Duliness at the Opening Produces Declines All Around.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- The wheat market opened about 14c higher than it closed yesterday. The first general trading price was 971gc. There were two or three trades at 975sc. but the great majority of the crowd were vainly endeavoring to sell at the time. There was a gradual, inanimate and dragging decline until the price struck 1714c, and this point being reached, business ceased almost entirely for a couple of hours. About 12 o'clock the intensified dullness of the proceedings was relieved for a short time by a slight increase of selling pressure. during which the price fell to 967sc in a graded No. 2 mixed, 48c, Rye dull. Eggs few minutes. There was nothing in the firmer; fresh, 26@27c; ice-house, 20c. Coffee day's budget of news to encourage buying. but the inertia of business was such that selling, although invited by such items as were made public, was, for the greater part of the session, held in check by the absence of orders from the outside. The movement on Minneapolis continues fairly liberal. This is largely due to the fact that railroad freights will advance on the first and country elevator stocks are being pushed forward to Min-neapolis in anticipation of that advance in freights. Millers outside of Minneapolis are bare of stocks. A very large line of flour has been sold for shipment to the United Kingdom during the next sixty days at full prices. So far as the situation abroad is concerned, a good demand for European account is expected in January Fabruary and March based in January Fabruary and March based ary, February and March, based on the statistical position of the trade there and it is probable that during the next ninety days a local milling demand will manifest itself for our domestic trade, south, southeast and east of us. The only piece of European intelligence which had any influence upon the market was a report of Spain having increased the duty on flour from 18s to 25s 6d. The downward impetus imparted to the market woke it completely from to the market woke it completely from its previous somnolescent condition and there was a moderate degree of activity, while prices retreated before the onslaught of the sellers until May was quoted at 9614@963sc, or about ic per bushel below yesterday's closing price. There was only a slight recovery toward the close, followed by a continguation of the previous washington as the previous washington washington as the previous washington wash uation of the previous weakness, and the market closed limp and weary at 9614c for May and 918c for July. July was maintained during the greater part of the session at about 434@47sc under May. The corn market was moderately steady but fearfully and wonderfully dull until wheat began its sumbling, after which no one had any use for corn but as an article to be dis-

511sc and 5114c during the but when the break started the

forencen, but when the break started the price quickly settled until it finally touched 505gc. The closing price, 5034@507gc, shows a decline since Friday of about 12c per bu. Data were quiet and steady around 4334@ 44c for May, until the last half hour, when Pardridge raided the market, causing a decline to 4314c. The trading was light and all on local account. The provision market started lower, apparently because there were rather more hogs

because there were rather more hogs than had been looked for and they were bringing lower prices at the yards. There was a steady feeling during the early hours of the session, but later decided weakness

the rule and prices made an easy de-it, from which there was no subsequent way, weakness being the prevailing ing at the close. The packers were free ers of ribs. Closing prices were lower aiderably than on Friday for all descrip-

tions of products. Pork declined 20@2212c, lard .02 12@.05c and ribs .10@.1212c.

п	Options.	Op ming	Highest	Lowest.	Closing
ı	Wheat-Dec	893	80%	881,1	881
3	Jan	893			, 881
	May	9710		9678	961
d	Corn-Dec	4759	4759		471
ď	Jan	484			
3	May	51%	5112		
n	Oats-Dec	4014	4014	39%	
v	Jan	404	4014		
۹	May	4378			
	Pork-Dec	\$8.10	\$8,1212		\$8.121
	Jan	10.0712			9.871
	May	11.00	11.0212		
	Lard-Jan	5.8212			
IJ	Feb	5.9712	5.9712	5.95	5.95
	May	6,4212	6,4210	6,3712	
	Sh'rtribe-Jan.	5.0212			4.95
4	Feb	5.20	5.20	5.15	5.15
9	May	5.6712	5.6719	5.5712	5.60
-	Cash quota	tions w	ere as	follows:	Flou

steady and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 8814c; No. 3 spring wheat, 83@84c; No. 2 red, 91c; No. 2 corn, 4712c; No. 2 oats, 3934 @ 40c; No. 2 white oats, 4112@ 42c; No. 3 white oats, 39@4012c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3 barley, f. o. b., 58@61c; No. 4 barley, 54@ 60c; No. 2 rye, 65c; No. 1 flax-seed, \$1.13@ 1.14; prime timothyseed, \$1.19@1.20; mess pork.per brl, \$8.10@8.1212; lard, per pound, 5.70c; snort-rib sides (loose), 4.50@4.75c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 4.25@4.35c; short-clear sides (boxed), 5.15@5.25c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.14. On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was steady. Eggs quiet at 21@

Receipts-Flour, 20,000 bris; wheat, 61,000 bu; corn, 184,000 bu; oats, 252,000 bu; rye, 15,000 bu; harley, 37,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 20,000 bris; wheat, 22,000 bu; corn, 129,000 bu; oats, 223,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 36,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK,

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Senboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Flour-Receipts, 34,266 packages; exports, 8,465 brls, 270 sacks. The market was dull and unchanged. Sales, 13,750 brls. Corn-meal quiet; yellow Western, \$2.85@3.25.

Wheat-Receipts, 58,600 bu; exports, none. sales, 585,000 bn futures. The spot market was firmer and dull. No. 2 red. \$1.0412@ 1.045s in elevator, \$1.061s@1.0614 afloat, \$1.053,@1.071s f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 9914@9912c; itself gave the market a strong tone which | No. 1 Northern, \$1.0714; No. 1 hard, \$1.1234. Options were dull and irregular, with near months 18@14c off, and late months unchanged to lec up. No. 2 red, December, \$1.0418@1.045s, closing at \$1.0414: January, \$1.0334@1.041s, closing at \$1.0834; February closing at \$1.0414; March closing at \$1.0514; 81.04 9/10/201.04°4, Closing July, 9834 @991sc, closing at 9834c; December closing at 99c.

Rye dull and steady; Western, 77@80c. Barley quiet and easy; No. 2 Milwaukee. 80 @82c; ungraded Western, 75@86c; Canada, No. 1, 95c; No. 2, 87c; No. 2 extra, 90c. Barley maltdull and weak; Canada, country-made,

Corn—Receipts, 66,300 bu; exports, 8,292 bu; sales, 224,000 bu futures, 37,000 bu spot. The spot market was barely steady and dull. No. 2, 58\alpha 58\delta c in elevator, 59\dagged a 59\delta c afloat; ungraded mixed, 56\dagged 2059\delta c; steamer mixed, 57\dagged 2058\delta c; No. 3, 56\delta c.

Options were dull and unchanged to \dagged 4c. lower, closing steady. December, 581sc, closing at 581sc; January, 58@581sc. closing at 58c; May, 57 15/16@58 1/16c, closing at 58c. Oats-Receipts, 94,000 bu; exports, 557 bu; sales, 85,000 bu futures, 51,000 bu spot.

The spot market was dull and unchanged Options were dull and firmer; January, 48 @4814c, closing at 4814c; February, 4812@4834c, closing at 4834c; May, 4914@4938c, clos-Hay quiet and weak; shipping, 45c; good to choice, 50@65c. Hops quiet and firm; State, common to choice, 30@40c; Pacific

Coffee-Options opened steady at unchanged to 5 points down, and closed steady at 5 points down to 5 points up. Sales, 11,-250 bags, including: December, 17.30e: January, 16.50@16.55e; February, 16e; March, 15.65@15.70e; May, 15.35e; spot Rio dull and steady; fair cargoes, 1914e; No. 7, 1734c. Sugar—Raw quiet and steady; fair refining, 49/16e; captrifugals 96 test 51cc; refined 49/16c; centrifugals, 96 test, 51/4c; refining, 49/16c; centrifugals, 96 test, 51/4c; refined quiet; C, 52/51/8c; extra C, 53/162/55/16c; white extra C, 53/82/57/16c; yellow, 4 15/16 25c; off A, 55/162/51/2c; mold A, 61/8c; standard A, 515/16c; confectioners' A, 53/4c; cutloaf, 63/4c; erushed, 63/4c; powdered, 61/4c; granulated, 6c; cubes, 61/8c. Molasses—Foreign nominal; New Orleans dull and steady; common to fancy 33/2/40c. Rice steady and common to fancy, 33@40c. Rice steady and quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 514@612c;

Cotton-seed oil dull and steady; crude, off grade, 19@20c; yellow, off grade, 2512@26c. Tallow quiet and steady; city (\$2 for packages), 45sc asked. Rosin dull and steady; strained, common to good, \$1.4212@1.4714.

Eggs quiet; Western, 27@28c. Hides quiet and steady: wet salted New Orleans, selected, 45 250 fbs, 7 28c; Texas se-Pork dull and steady; old mess, \$10@11; new mess, \$11@12; extra prime, \$9.50@10.

Cut meats dull; pickled bellies, 5c; pickled shoulders, 414c; pickled hams, 712c. Middles easy, short clear, 5.90c. Lard depressed on moderate demand; Western steam, 6.0712c.

Options—Sales, 7,250 tierces; January, 6.08

@6.11c, closing at 6.08c bid; February, 6.24c; March, 6.38@6.40c, closing at 6.38c bid; May, 6.58@6.59c, closing at 6.58c, bid.

Butter quiet, and steady: Western dairy

Butter quiet and steady; Western dairy, 11@20c; Western creamery. 20@29c; Western factory, 8@23c; Elgin, 29@30c. Cheese quiet and steady: light skims, 419@634c: Ohio flats, 6@914c.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.-Wheat-Western steady; No. 2 winter red. spot, December and January, 9612c bid; May, \$1.0258@ 1.0234. Corn-Western, nominal; mixed, spot and December, 5714c; January, 5634c; May 5612c; steamer, 5512c asked. Oats quiet; Western white, 48@49c; western white quiet; Rio cargos, fair, 1912e; No. 7, 1712@ 1734c. Other articles steady and unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 7,274 brls; wheat, 2,187 bu; corn, 29.720 bu; oats, 10.000 bu; rye, 3.000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 2,556 brls. Saies—Wheat, 26,600 bu; corn, 94,650 bu.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Active-Hogs Opened Steady, Weakened and Closed 5 2 10 Cents Lower. INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 27.-CATTLE.-Receipts, 400; shipments, 330. There was but few on sale; market active and higher on top butcher grades; others steady. All sold

ļ	early.
	Fancy exports \$4.40@4.7
ı	Good to choice exports 4.10@4.3
1	Medium to good shippers 3.50 23.8
	Common to fair shippers 2.50@3.2
ı	Feeders, good to choice 2.60@3.0
i	Stockers, common to good 1.75 @ 2.4
1	Good to choice heifers 2.60@3.0
	Fair to medium heifers 2.00@2.4
	Common thin heifers 1.25@1.7
	Good to choice cows 2.20 22.6
	Fair to medium cows 1.50 22.0
	Common old cows
	Veals, common to choice 2.50@4.0
	Bulls, common to choice 1.50 @ 2.7
	Milkers, good to choice25.00@35.0
	Milkers, common to fair 10.00 220.0
	HogsReceipts, 5,200; shipments, 3,50
	Quality fair Market opened about steady

later weakened and declined 5@10 cents: closed weak. All sold:

ing price. There was only a slight recovery toward the close, followed by a continuation of the previous weakness, and the market closed limp and weary at 9614c for May and 915sc for July. July was maintained during the greater part of the session at about 434047sc under May. The corn market was moderately steady but fearfully and wonderfully dull until wheat began its sumbling, after which no one had any use for corn but as an article to be disposed of on the shortest possible notice and without any particular regard to the price attainable. The opening price for May was about 4c improvement	Select shipping \$3.50 \overline{\sigma}3.60 Heavy packing 3.40 \overline{\sigma}3.50 Mixed packing 3.25 \overline{\sigma}3.35 Light 3.10 \overline{\sigma}3.50 Roughs 2.50 \overline{\sigma}3.00 SHEEP AND LAMBS.—Receipts ; shipments, 200. Not enough here to make a market. The feeling is strong. Good to choice sheep \$4.10 \overline{\sigma}4.50 Fair to medium sheep 2.75 \overline{\sigma}3.35 Common sheep 2.75 \overline{\sigma}3.35 Good to choice lambs 4.75 \overline{\sigma}5.50 Common to medium lambs 3.25 \overline{\sigma}4.50 Bucks, per head 2.00 \overline{\sigma}4.00
on the prices at the close of the preceding session. The fluctuations were confined between 51 sc and 51 40 during the	CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—Cattle in fair demand and market firm. Common. \$1@2:

Elsewhere. CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—Cattle in fair demand and market firm. Common, \$1@2; fair to choice butchers' grades, \$2.25@4; prime to choice shippers, \$3.75@4.50. Receipts, 50; shipments, 500. Hogs in ample supply and slow. Com-mon and light, \$3@3.60; packing and butch-

Sheep quiet and steady. Common to choice, \$2,25@4.50; extra fat wethers and yearlings. \$4.75@5.25. Receipts, 2; ship

ers', \$3.40@3.80. Receipts, 3,350; shipments,

Lambs—Spring in light snpply and firm. Good to choice shipping \$5.25@5.75; common to choice butchers', \$3.50@5.50.

BUFFALO, Dec. 27.—Cattle steady and unchanged. Receipts, 105 car-loads through and 1 car-load for sale.

Sheep and lambs fairly active and a shade higher. Receipts, 2 car-loads through and 15 car-loads for sale. Sheep-Choice to extra. \$5.30@5.60: good to choice. \$5@

5.25. Lambs-Choice to extra, \$6.30@6.60; good to choice, \$6@6.25. Hogs lower. Receipts, 51 car-loads through and 65 car-loads for sale. Mediums, heavy and mixed, \$3.70@3.75.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27 .- Cattle-Receipts, 200; shipments, 500. Market steady. Good to fancy native steers, \$4.40@5; fair to good native steers, \$3.80@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.10@3.10; Texas and Indian steers, Hogs - Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 700. Market easy. Fair to choice heavy, \$3.55

to best, \$3,25@3,40. Sheep-Receipts, none; shipments, 400. Market strong. Good to choice, \$4.20@5.30. CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- The Evening Journal reports: Cattle-Receipts, 2,500; shipments, none. Market steady; stockers, and feeders, \$1.75@2.75; steers, \$3.40@5. Hogs-Receipts, 23,000; shipments, none, Market lower; common to good heavy, \$3.50@3, 75; fancy, \$3.80@3.85; light, \$3.35@ 3.55; heavy. \$3.40@3.60.

Sheep-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, none. Market weak and slow. Westerns, \$4.35@ 4.6212; natives, \$3.75@4.50. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27. - Cattle-Receipts, 3,270; shipments, 1,190. The market was strong. Steers, \$3.50@4.50; cows, \$2.10 @3; stockers and feeders, \$2.10@2.80. Hogs-Receipts, 5,790; shipments, 790, The market was steady to strong. Buik, \$3.35@8.55; all grades, \$3@3.65. Sheep-Receipts, 790; shipments, 480. The

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS. Trade Slow, Prices Unchanged and Steady

market was steady and unchanged.

as a Rule INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 27 .- In all departments of the wholesale markets trade in the week closing to-day was slow with very few fluctuations in values. Merchants, as a rule, on the wholesale streets, are very well satisfied with the business of the year, and speak of the incoming year as promising well for trade. There is little can be said as regards the prices of any article in the near future. The break in the poultry market, which has been expected, has not as yet been realized, but lower prices will not be a surprise after New Year's. Everything in the vegetable and fruit line is firm at quotations, and the commission men are troubled to fill orders, more especially in fruits. The iron market has taken on a weaker tone. Provisions rule steady at the revised quotations of the early part of the week. The flour market shows more activity, but prices do not improve materially. Quiet markets and but few changes in val-

The week closes with flat markets on all cereals, and little will be done the remaining days of the year. Track bids to-day ruled as follows:

Wheat—No. 2red, 931₂c; No. 3 red, 90c; rejected, 80@85c; unmerchantable, 65@70c.

Corn—No. 1 white, 50c; No. 2 white, 49c; white mixed, 47c; No. 3 white, 47c; No. 3 yellow, 49c; No. 3 yellow, 48c; No. 2 mixed, 471₄c; No. 3 mixed, 47c; sound ear, 47c. Oats-No. 2 white, 44c; No. 3 white, 4212c; No. 2 mixed, 43c; rejected, 40c. Bran-Local dealers are bidding \$17, f. Hay-Timothy, choice, \$10.25; No. 1, \$10; No. 2, \$7.50; No. 1 prairie, \$6.75; No. 2 prairie, \$5; mixed hay, \$6.

PRODUCE. Poultry-Hens, 5120 \$ 15; young chickens, 6c \$ fb; cocks, Sc \$ fb; turkeys, choice fat hens, 9c; choice young turkeys, 9c; old toms, 6c; poor, small turkeys, 4@6c; ducks, fat, 512c; geese, choice full-feathered, \$4.80 @5.40 P doz. Eggs-Shippers paying 18e; selling from

store at 21@22c. Rabbits, 25c P doz. Butter-Creamery, choice, 22@23c; fair, 18 @20c: choice country, roll, 10@11c; common, Feathers-Prime geese, 35c & fb; mixed duck, 20c 1

Sheepskins-40c@\$1. Horse Hides-\$2. Grease-White, 334c; yellow, 8c; brown, Tallow-No. 1, 414c; No. 2, 334c. Wool-Tub-washed and picked, 85c; un-washed medium and common grades, if

Beeswax-Dark, 18c; yellow, 20c.

in good order, 22@25c; burry and cotted; 16@ 18c; tleeced-washed, if light and in good order, 28@30c; burry and unmerchanable, according to their value.

Hides-No. 1 G. S. hides, 5@514c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 414c; No. 1 green, 4c; No. 2

Indianapolis Jobbing Trade. [The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.]

CANNED GOODS. Peacnes—Standard 8-pound, \$2.75@3.00; 8-pound seconds, \$2.65@2.75. Miscellaneous —Blackberries, 2-pound, \$1.10@1.20; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.40@2.50; seconds, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, \$1.15@1.20; light, 80@85c; 2-pound, full, \$2.15 @2.25; light, \$1.20 string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, \$1.20@1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.20@1.40; small, \$1.50@1.75; lobsters, \$1.85 @2; red cherries, 95c@\$1.10; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (fbs), \$1.90@2.50. COAL AND COKE.

Anthracite coal, stove size, \$7 \$7 ton; egg and grate size, \$6.75. Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.50 \$\top\$ ton; Jackson, \$4; block, \$3.50; Island City, \$3.25; Blossburg and Indiana Cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50 cents below above quotations. Coke—Connellsville, \$3.75 \$\P\$ load; crushed, \$3 \$\P\$ load; lump, \$2.75 \$\P\$ load.

Alcohol, \$2.25@2.35; assafætida, 15@20e; alum, 4@5c; champhor, 50@55c; cochineal, 50@55e: chloroform, 60@65e; copperas, brls, So@\$1; cream tartar, pure, 30@35c; indigo, Socasi; cream tartar, pure, 30@55c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., & oz, \$2.85; madder, 12@14c; oil, castor, & gal, \$1.20@1.25; oil, bergamot, & lb, \$3.75@4; opium, \$3.25; quinine, P. & W., & oz, 39@44c; balsam copaiba, 70@75c; soap, Castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 412 @6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 4 @6c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 46@48c; glycerine, 22@26c; iodide potass., \$2.85@3; bromide potass., 40@42c; chlorate potass., 25c; borax. 13@15c; cinchonidia. 12@15c; carbolic acid, 45@50c. OILS-Linseed oil, raw, 56@59c # gal;

coal oil, legal test, 914@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 65c. Lard oils, No. 1, 50@55c; do., extra, 65@70c. WHITE LEAD-Pure, 7340.

DRY GOODS. BLEACHED SHEETINGS—Blackstone AA, 734c; Ballou & Son, 712c; Chestnut Hill, 6c; Cabot 44, 712c; Chapman X, 612c; Dwight, Star S, 9c; Fruit of the Loom, 9c; Lonsdale, 834c; Linwood, 5c; Masonville, 834c; New York Mills, 1034c; Our Own, 534c; Pepperell 9-4, 22c; Pepperell 10-4, 24c; Hills, 8c; Hope, 734c; Knight's Cambric, 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 1034c; Whitinsville, 33-inch, 632c; Wamsutta, 1034c.

BROWN SHEETINGS—Atlantic A, 7¹4c;
Boott C, 6c; Agawam F, 5¹2c; Bedford R,
5c; Augusta, 5¹2c; Boott AL, 7c; Continental C, 6³4c; Dwight Star, 8c; Echo Lake,
6¹2c; Graniteville EE, 6¹2c; Lawrence LL,
5³4c; Pepperell E, 7¹4c; Pepperell R, 6¹2c;
Pepperell 9-4, 20c; Pepperell 10-4, 22c; Utica
9-4, 22¹2c; Utica 10-4, 26¹2c; Utica C, 4¹2c.
GRAIN BAGS—American, \$17; Atlantic, \$18;
Franklinville, \$18,50; Lawrence, \$17,50; Franklinville, \$18.50; Lewistown, \$17.50; Cumberland, \$17: Grocers, \$18.50; Harmony, \$17; Ontario, \$16.50; Stark A, \$21.

PRINTS—American fancy, 612c; Allen's fancy, 612c; Allen's dark, 6c; Allen's pink, 612c; Arnold's, 612c; Berlin solid colors, 6c; Cocheco, 512c; Conestoga, 6c; Dunneil's, 6c; Eddystone, 612c; Hartel, 6c; Harmony, 434c; Hamilton, 612c; Greenwich, 512c; Knickerbocker, 512c; Mallory pink, 612c; prices on dress styles irregular; depends on pattern.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag, 7c; Bates, 612c; Gloncester, 614c; Glasgow, 6c; Lancaster, 7c, Ranelman's, 712c; Renfrew Madras, 812c; Cumberland, 6c; White, 612c; Bookfold, 912c; Prime Cambrics—Manville, 6c; S. S. & Son, 6c; Masonville, 6c; Garner, 6c. \$17; Ontario, \$16.50; Stark A, \$21. Son, 6c; Masonville, 6c; Garner, 6c. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 1212c; Conestoga BF, 14¹2c; Conestoga extra, 13¹2c; Conestoga Gold Medal, 13¹2c; Conestoga CCA, 12c; Conestoga AA, 10c; Conestoga X, 9c; Pearl River, 12c; Falls OBO, 32-inch, 12¹2; Methuen AA, 12¹2c; Oakland A, 6¹2c; Swift River, 6¹2c; York, 32-inch, 12¹2c; York,

30-inch, 1012c. SUGARS—Hard, 612@814; confectioners' A 614@612c; off A, 618@614c; coffee A, 6@618c; white extra C, 578@6c; extra C, 534@578c; good yellows, 55,26; extra c, 54,25,36; good yellows, 55,26; fair yellows, 51,26; 55,86; common yellows, 51,26; prime, 231,26; Coffees—Good, 221,26,231,26; prime, 231,26; fancy green and yellow, 26,276; old goyernment Java, 35,26; ordinary Java, 301,4,281,16; imitation Java, 302,2000. Beauty Java, 301,4 @814c; imitation Java, 2834@29c. Roasted a patent-medicine coffees, 1 lb packages, 254c; Banner, 254c; real news article.

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SHOT-\$1.50@1.55 \$ bag for drop. LEAD-7@714c for pressed bars. WOODEN DISHES-Per 100,1 15, 20c; 2 15s 25c; 3 lbs, 30c; 5 lbs, 40c. TWINE-Hemp, 12@18c # fb; wool. 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 18c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@25c. WOODENWARE-No. 1 tubs, \$8@8.25: No. 2 tubs, \$7@7.25; No. 3 tubs, \$6@6.25; 8-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.45; double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes-pins, 50@ 85c P box.

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Clover-Extra choice re-cleaned, 60 fb bu \$4.50@4.75; choice, \$4.35@4.50; prime, \$4.10@ 4.25; English, choice, \$4.30@4.50; Alsike, as to quality. \$4.50@6.25; Alfalfa, \$5.25@6.00; white Dutch, as to quality, \$4.50@6.25. Timothy, fancy, 45 lb bu, \$1.60@1.70; choice, \$1.55@1.60; strictly prime, \$1.50@1.55. Blue-grass, fancy Kentucky, 14 lb bu, \$3.00 @3.25; English, choice, 24 lb bu, \$1.85@1.95. Orchard Grass, choice. 14 lb bu, \$1.85@2. Italian Rye Grass, choice, 18 fb bu. \$1.50@ 1.75. Red Top, choice, 14 lb bu, 65c@70c. TINNERS' SUPPLIES.

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WOMAN'S DANGEROUS AGE. Most Fascinating at Thirty Because She Uses Her Brains Then.

Rehoboth Sunday Herald. Balzac has said that a woman of thirty is at her most fascinating and dangerous age, and it is indeed true that all the women famous for power over the hearts of men, from Cleopatra to Helen down, were nearer forty than twenty when at the zenith of

Perhaps the secret lies in the simple fact that the woman of twenty must be plased while the woman of forty tries to ... ease; and the older woman's power consists, not, as has been so often said, in understanding and making the most of her own charms, but in comprehending and with happy tact calling out and making the most of the good qualities of the man whose favor she

A man admires a clever woman, but he enjoys himself better with a woman who makes him feel that he is clever. He likes being entertained for a little while by a well-informed woman, but he enjoys much better the happy tact which makes him believe that he is entertaining the well-informed woman and telling her a great many things she never dreamed of. And the woman a man likes best is not always the one who is most brilliant, but the one who has the happy knack of discovering the subject he talks best on, and is well enough informed to listen intelligently and draw him out with happy queries until he is astonished at his own brilliancy.

Influence of Light on Color.

Dry Goods Chronicie. Some years ago an English manufacturer of carmine who was aware of the superi ority of the French color went to Lyons for the purpose of improving his process, and bargained with the most celebrated manufacturer in that city for the acquisition of his secret for which he was to pay \$5,000. He was shown all of the process, and saw a most beautiful color produced, but

he found not the least difference in the French mode of fabrication and that which had been constantly adopted by himself. He minutely examined the water and the materials, which were, in every respect, similar to his own, and then, very much surprised, said: "I have lost both my laor and my money, for the air of England does not permit us to make good carmine. "Stay!" said the Frenchman, "don't de-ceive yourself; what kind of weather is it

"A bright, sunny day," replied the Englishman. "And such are the days," said the Frenchman, "on which I make my color; were I to attempt to manufacture it on a dark and cloudy day my results would be the same as yours. Let me advise you, my friend, only to make your carmine on bright, sunny

The moral of this will apply quite as well to the making of many other colors used in manufactures and also in the fine arts, for it illustrates, in a practical way, the chemhe hit me wid er ax wunst. I tells yer, jedge, dat me an' dat man is allus er progicin' wid each udder."

"Then you dragged him down a bank and ical influence of light upon certain coloring compounds or mixtures.

Wanted to Be Spared. Washington Post.

"Thanks," said the shopper to the clerk; "I don't care to know the exact price of hat article. Just give me the total amount "Don't you want any of the items put in?" "No; I'll probably see some of the figures

after the holiday trade has collapsed, and I wish to spare myself a heartache or two."

Correct. The Jury. Teacher-Now, children, here we have the word "intuition." Who can tell me what it means? Phenomenally Bright Scholar-Intuition is that faculty of the human mind which enables a person to distinguish at a glance a patent-medicine advertisement from a

LAND IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Its Price and Productiveness—Some Elements That Do Not Enter Into Values Elsewhere.

Charles Dudley Warner, in January Scribner. So many conditions enter into the price of land that it is impossible to name an average price for the arable land of the sonthern counties, but I have heard good judges place it at \$100 an acre. The lands with water are very much alike in their producing power, but some, for climatic reasons, are better adapted to citrus fruits, others to the raisin grape, and others to deciduous fruits. The value is also affected by railway facilities, contiguity to the local commercial center, and also by the character of the settlement, that is, by its morality, public spirit, and facilities for education. Every town and settlement thinks it has special advantages as to improved irrigation, equability of temperature, adaptation to this or that product, attractions for invalids, tempered ocean breezes, protec-tion from "northers," schools, and varied industries. These things are so much matter of personal choice that each settler will do well to examine widely for himself, and not buy until he is suited

Some figures, which may be depended on,

of actual sales and of annual yields may be

of service. They are of the district east of Pasadena and Pomona, but fairly represent the whole region down to Los Angeles. The selling price of raisin-grape land, unim-proved but with water at Riverside, is \$250 to \$300 per acre; at South Riverside, \$150 to \$200; in the highland district of San Bernardino and at Redlands (which is a new settlement east of the city of San Bernardino), \$200 to \$250 per acre.
At Banning and at Hesperia, which lie north of the San Bernardino range, \$125 to \$150 per acre are the prices asked. Distance from the commercial center accounts for the difference in price in the towns named The crop varies with the care and skill of the cultivator, but a fair average from the vines at two years is two tons per acre; three years, three tons; four years, five tons; five years, seven tons. The price varies with the season, and also whether its sale is upon the vines or after picking, drying and sweating, or the packed product. On the vines \$20 per ton is a fair average price. In exceptional cases vineyards at Riverside have produced four tons per acre in twenty months from the setting of the cuttings, and six-year-old vines have produced thirteen and a half tons per acre. If the grower has a crop of say 2,000 packed boxes of raisins of twenty pounds each box, it will pay him to pack his own crop and establish a "brand" for it. In 1889 three adjoining vineyards in Riverside, producing about the same average crops, were sold as follows: The first vineyard, at \$17.50 per ton on the vines, yielded \$150 per acre; the second, at 6 cents a pound in the sweat-boxes, yielded \$276 re; the third, at \$1.80 per box, pa yielded \$414 per acre.

Land adapted to the decidnous fruits. such as apricots and peaches, is worth as much as raisin land, and some years pays better. The pear and the apple need greater elevation, and are of better quality when grown on high ground than in the valleys. I have reason to believe that the mountain regions of San Diego county are specially

adapted to the apple.

Good orange land unimproved, but with water, is worth from \$300 to \$500 an acre. It we add to this price the cost of budded trees, the care of them for four years, and interest at 8 per cent. per annum for four years, the cost of a good grove will be about \$1,000 an acre. It must be understood that the profit of an orange grove depends upon care, skill and business ability. The kind of orange grown with reference to the demand, the judgment about more or less irrigation as affecting the quality, the cultivation of the soil, and the arrangements for marketing are all elements in the problem. There are young groves at Riverside, five years old, that are paying 10 per cent. net upon from \$3,000 to 5,000 an acre; while there are older groves which, at the prices for fruit in the spring of 1890-\$1.60 per box for seedlings and \$3 per box for navels delivered at the packinghouses-paid at the rate of 10 per cent. net on \$7,500. In all these estimates water must be

reckoned as a prime factor. What, then, is water worth per inch, generally, in all this fruit region from Redlands to Los Angeles? It is worth just the amount it will add to the commercial value of land irrigated by it, and that may be roughly estimated at from \$500 to \$1,000 an inch of continuous flow. Take an illustration. A piece of land at Riverside below the flow of the water was worth \$300 an acre. Contiguous to it was another piece not irrigated which would not sell for \$50 an acre. By bring water to it it would cuickly sell for \$300, thus adding \$250 to its value. As the estimate at Riverside is that one inch of water will irrigate five acres of fruit land, five times \$250 would be \$1,250 per inch, at which price water for irrigation has actually been sold at River-

"BABY BARLOW."

Man Who Goes Hunting Has Some Observations to Make Concerning Ris Offspring. Talbot Torrance, in January Outing.
"My hand is on the door-knob, when, pita-pat, pit-a-pat, is heard the tread of tiny feet. It is Ted, my little two-year-old, coming to say good-bye to papa. I take him up and sing gaily:

Papa goes a-hunting, To get a little rabbit skin To wrap the baby bunting in.

How the little man crows and gurgles in glee! Then he grows demonstrative and he wants to take off my cap. He makes a grab at my game bag. As I put him down gently he tries to disarm me and possess himself of

I say, what an awful bother about the house of the sportsman is the toddling tot of a baby. He is always getting hold of your gun-swab for a fish pole or to bang the dog about. Putting holes in your fish basket with a big nail or a table knife is a sureme source of delight to him. He has a mania for planting carpet-tacks in your hunting boots. Making smoke-stacks for mud houses with your brass shells is a passion with him. If he can get hold of your ammunition to make paste of the powder, and pulp of the wads, and a hopeless mixture of the shot, he is simply in his element. Give him possession of your lines and access to your fly-book and he enjoys an hour of what is to him immense fun, but to you pronounced and positive destruction.

"And yet—you wouldn't be without that self-same baby if to keep him cost you every shooting-iron and foot of tackle you ever owned or hoped to own, and at the same time destroyed the prospect of your ever again having a 'day out' on this rare old earth of ours.

"It is quite safe to say that the article for which you would exchange that merry, mischievous toddler of yours, who clasps your brown neck with his little white, soft arms and presses a sweet baby kiss to your bristled lips, as he sees you off on an out ing, has not now an existence-and you do not seem to exactly remember when it had."

All a Joke. Watson Henry, a negro ferryman, classically known as Sharon, was arraigned be-"Watson," said the judge, "you are charged with a grave offense." "Whut's dat, jedge?"

ting an assault upon Harvey Peters."
"W'y, jedge, dat wuz all er joke. Me an'
dat man is allus progicin' wid each udder. All er joke, sah." "You met him in the road and broke one of his arms with a club. Do you call that a

"You know very well what it is-commit-

"W'y, 'o co'se, I does, jedge. Me an dat man is allus er progicin' wid each udder. He broke dis heah laig wunst, an' I didn't think nothin' o' it 'ca'se I knowed dat it wuz only a joke." "Yes, but after you had broken his arm you stuck a knife into him." "Yas, sab, but dat wuz all er joke. W'y,

tried to throw him into the river.' "Oh, shar, jedge, see dat yer ain't er pus-son whot un'erstan's er joke. Take me er way frum heab. I doan want ter progic wid er man whut doan know whut fun is."

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